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ders, payable toTHE TIMES AND DEMOCRAT,  
Orangeburg, S. C.When Bryan gets in the White  
House all of Roosevelt's imperial  
swagger will be replaced by Demo-  
cratic simplicity.If Senator Tillman was in his  
old time vigor as a campaigner, we  
would like to see him and Teddy on  
the stump in joint debate.The Times and Democrat was of-  
fered some of the Standard Oil money,  
that Senator Tillman speaks of, but  
it was respectfully declined.General Buckner made a strong  
bid for a chance at the pie counter  
but it has not been heeded. Taft  
ought to get him a small slice.No man will enjoy seeing Mr. Taft  
sail up Salt Creek with more relish  
than Senator Foraker. He will see  
his old enemy off on November 3.Senator Tillman is the largest in-  
dividual contributor to the National  
Democratic campaign fund in this  
State. He gave two hundred dollars.Look out Tuesday week for a Dem-  
ocratic landslide, which will bury  
Taft so deep that Teddy will have  
hard work to dig him out from the  
debris.If our other Senator and Congress-  
men had contributed to the campaign  
fund as liberally as Senator Tillman,  
South Carolina would make a much  
better showing than she does.Senator Tillman has arrived  
home from his European trip very  
much improved in health. We hope  
he will take things easy until he  
is completely restored.Rev. A. M. Christberg, one of the  
oldest Methodist preachers in the  
South, died on Wednesday. He had  
been a member of the South Carolina  
Conference over fifty years. He was  
38 years of age.Senator Tillman is after the "Com-  
mercial Democracy gang," as he calls  
them, with a sharp stick, and he will  
unearth many interesting facts in  
connection with its attempted propa-  
gation by McLaurin in this State.In the last ten days two white  
men have murdered white men in  
Greenville county. In each case  
the man who did the killing is said  
to have been drunk. The blind tiger  
whiskey sold in Greenville must be  
villainous stuff.Secretary of War Luke Wright is  
a Southern Democrat after Mr. Taft's  
own heart. Having sold out to the  
Roosevelt dynasty, he is doing all  
he can to perpetuate it by making  
speeches in the North for those who  
gave him a seat at the pie counter.The people of South Carolina will  
be delighted to know that Senator  
Tillman returns home almost en-  
tirely restored to health. With few  
exceptions, he has the very best  
wishes of all the people for a still  
longer and useful career in the Sen-  
ate.Some Washington paper gives Ed-  
itor Gonzales, of The State, credit  
for carrying this State for Bryan.  
As a matter of fact this State needed  
no "carrying" for Bryan. It has been  
for him every since he made his  
magnificent fight for the people in  
1896.There is no doubt in our mind  
about McLaurin having a fund for  
the propagation of his "Commercial  
Democracy" in this State, and, in  
the language of Senator Tillman,  
we would like to know "what news-  
papers in the State received any por-  
tion of it" for boosting the new doc-  
trine.The open letter addressed by the  
renegade Capers to the Commis-  
sioners of Elections in South Carolina  
asking them to give the Republican  
ticket a fair count in the approach-  
ing election was a gratuitous in-  
sult to the people of this State, if  
such a creature as Capers could in-  
sult them.Both Democratic and Republican  
newspapers have investigated the po-  
litical situation in Ohio and they all  
agree that Bryan will carry the State.  
The Chicago Record-Herald says his  
plurality will be ten thousand, while  
the Cincinnati Enquirer says it will  
reach fifty thousand or more. Both  
of these are Taft organs. Now, if  
this is the condition in Taft's own  
State, what is the condition in other  
States?

## Reign of the Mob.

The Easley Progress, in discuss-  
ing a certain crime, says:"If a young lady should, while  
traveling along a public road or  
pathway, happen to be bitten by a  
snake or mad dog, when the alarm  
is given the snake or dog is, if  
caught, immediately dispatched with-  
out further ceremony. If a black  
negro brute meets a young lady or  
female child on a lonely road and as-  
saults her, he is taken in charge by  
army officers of the law and pro-  
tected from harm. If he has money  
he can procure counsel, and have his  
trial continued from time to time and  
then if convicted is only given a  
term in prison, of if hanged he is  
allowed to profess conversion and get  
up on the gallows and tell his hear-  
ers that he is on the road to heav-  
en. This law should be changed.  
When a case of this kind takes place  
in a community, the wretch, white or  
black, should be outlawed immedi-  
ately, and shot or dispatched in some  
way, by the first ones who catch him  
and they should receive a reward for  
it besides, that is, when certain that  
they have the right man, and if one  
is tried and convicted he should not  
be allowed to make any statement in  
regard to being on the road to  
heaven. Simply let him confess and  
then pull the trigger without fur-  
ther ceremony."When we are brought face to face  
with such dastardly crimes as was  
recently attempted at Greer's and at  
Spartanburg, and was actually accom-  
plished over in North Carolina, we  
almost agree with the Easley Pro-  
gress. But when we consider the  
terrible effects of mob law on our  
civilization we most emphatically  
dissent from the reign of mob law,  
in any form. If the mob could be  
used to stamp out the crime of which  
the Progress refers and no other,  
it might be tolerated. But the  
trouble is, many times the mob does  
not stop to ascertain the guilt or  
innocence of one charged with crime  
before it strings him up or shoots  
him to death. Many an innocent man  
has been executed by a mob,  
while possibly the guilty scoundrel  
looked on, feeling that, as some one  
else had been put to death for his  
crime, he was secure from even sus-  
picion.The Progress says when a "case  
of this kind takes place in a com-  
munity, the wretch, white or black,  
should be outlawed immediately and  
shot or dispatched in some way by  
the first ones who catch him and  
they should receive a reward for  
it besides, that is, when certain they  
have the right man." There is the  
rub. Who can control a mob until  
it finds out whether it has the right  
man or not? Mob law simply sets  
aside all restraint and makes every  
man who happens to be in the mob  
a law unto himself. A mob is an  
awful thing, and should mob law  
become the rule and not the excep-  
tion, no man would care to live in  
a community where it is practiced,  
as no man's life would be safe.  
When a fiend commits an assault on  
a woman his guilt should be de-  
termined as speedily as possible and  
the fiend executed at once, but let  
us be sure that we are executing  
the real fiend. This mob law does  
not always do this before it makes  
vengeance on a supposed criminal.Then again if we sanction mob law  
for one crime and it is practiced  
with the consent of the law, it would  
have a most demoralizing effect on  
us as a people. It would not be  
long before we would take another  
step and call in the mob to avenge  
the murder of some citizen by some  
other citizen and so it would go.  
Only some few days ago some ne-  
groes over in Alabama lynched a  
negro because he attempted to steal  
a bale of cotton from a gin. Once  
the reign of mob law is begun no  
one can tell where it will end. If  
a fiend who assaults a woman is  
caught in nine times out of ten  
cases he will be summarily executed  
then and there, but it won't do for  
the law to sanction such action on  
the part of a mob, as the Progress  
proposes. The one thing that made  
Rome the ruler of the world was the  
absolute obedience of her citizen-  
ship to law, and that is what our  
people must do if they want to pre-  
serve their civilization.

## Trying to Beat Bryan.

Mr. P. M. Sharples, president of a  
West Chester, Pa., factory, which  
employs 1,000 men, has posted a  
placard about his plant announcing  
that should the "dire calamity" of  
Mr. Bryan's election befall the coun-  
try, in "that hour these works will  
have to close down." We believe  
that the Democratic National Com-  
mittee recently offered \$5,000 for  
conclusive evidence of an employer's  
coercion against the candidacy of  
Mr. Bryan. Difficult as it is to draw  
the line for the purpose of the court,  
between legitimate notice concern-  
ing present and future trade and de-  
liberate use of force, it would seem  
that this case is reasonably clear.  
Mr. Sharples scorns to take refuge  
behind ambiguous words. He frank-  
ly threatens, "Unless you beat Bryan,"  
he says, "you lose your jobs."Sharples posted a notice in the  
factory telling the men they were  
expected to join in a Republican  
parade in the reception to Vice-  
Presidential Candidate Sherman. Two  
hundred of the men heeded the man-  
date and took part in the parade.  
But their transparencies merely stated  
the fact that they were Sharples  
employees. There were no pictures  
of candidates or other wording upon  
them. There were many absent from  
the ranks, and the men marched as  
though it were a duty in the regular  
course of work and enthusiasm was  
lacking. A dispatch from West  
Chester says there were many al-  
lusive comments upon the action of  
the manufacturer, and many persons  
were outspoken in their views, and  
many who had not before done so  
espoused the Bryan cause then and  
there. It was a good thing for the  
Democracy of that section, and the  
bomb rebounded upon its author.We agree with the Richmond  
Times-Dispatch that this sort of bri-  
bery is more dangerous than the open  
barter and sale of votes, because  
it is subtler and harder to exter-  
minate. The Democratic party and Mr.  
Bryan has suffered heavily from it  
in other campaigns. As a weapon  
of political warfare, it is peculiarly  
unfair and contemptible. As an in-  
dex of commercial sagacity, it is a  
reflection upon any man's intel-  
ligence. The man who thinks that  
the country will go to the dogs upon  
Mr. Bryan's election is simply a fool.  
The man who bases minatory notices  
to his dependents upon such reason-  
ing should enjoy either a fool's es-  
teem or a bushwhacker's punishment.  
Mr. Sharples' concern manufactures  
separators. His apparent conception  
that the earth will stop bearing grain  
when Mr. Bryan steps into the White  
House is profoundly interesting from  
the point of view of the alienist.

## Took Taft at His Word.

There are several pearl button fac-  
tories at Muscatine, Ia. The buttons  
are made from the mussel shells  
found in the rivers round about. In  
order to protect the pearl button  
industry there is a very heavy tariff  
on pearl buttons. But there is noth-  
ing doing in the button line in  
Muscatine just now, nor has there  
been since Mr. Taft spoke there a  
short time ago. The employees of the  
button factories were given time  
off to hear Mr. Taft and he con-  
gratulated them on the fact  
that they had been able to  
hold their places because of the  
protective tariff on mother-of-pearl  
manufacturers. He also told them  
that because of this tariff their wages  
were still being paid undiminished.  
This was a surprise to the employes  
whose pay envelopes were sadly di-  
minished last November by a radical  
reduction in wages. When Mr. Taft  
concluded the button makers went  
back to the factories and demanded  
a restoration of the wage scale.  
They backed it up with the evidence  
of Mr. Taft's argument—and wasn't  
Mr. Taft the candidate of the em-  
ployers? The employers refused to  
restore wages, and 500 button mak-  
ers went out on strike. Several  
hundred more threaten to strike  
in the meanwhile the em-  
ployers who profit so much  
from the protective tariff ad-  
vocated by Mr. Taft have organized  
and subscribed to a pledge not to re-  
employ any person who voluntarily  
gave up his place to enforce a de-  
mand for something that the employ-  
ers' candidate said they should have  
been getting all the time. Clearly  
Mr. Taft ought to return to Musca-  
tine and square things.

## Republican Prosperity.

The Associated Press reports, and  
the Republican organs print with  
pride, and point to as an evidence  
of "returning prosperity," the item  
that John Wannamaker has decided  
to immediately begin building a \$6,-  
000,000 business structure in Phila-  
delphia, "thereby putting 1,000 men  
at work in the building industry."Not desiring to add to the already  
heavy embarrassment of the Re-  
publican organs by asking them to  
explain how prosperity could now be  
"returning" without having first  
departed, The Commoner would  
like to ask why the Republican or-  
gans failed to print all the facts  
about this Wannamaker job.They emphasized the fact that Mr.  
Wannamaker advertised for 1,000  
workmen, but they failed to report  
that upwards of 4,000 workmen an-  
swered the advertisement to "ap-  
pear on the job at 7:30 a. m." and  
that hundreds of these congregated  
on the job at midnight before in or-  
der to better their chances of secur-  
ing employment.Teddy is still busting trusts with  
his mouth.

## Country Rye Seed.

For Country Rye Seed call at the  
stable of A. M. SALLEY.  
10-22-3.

## Sale of Personal Property.

We will sell on Thursday, Nov.  
12, 1908, at the residence of the  
late D. W. Crook, all of his personal  
property, consisting of Horses, Mules,  
Cattle, Hogs, Corn, Fodder, Hay,  
Cotton Seed, Farm Implements, Ma-  
chinery, etc.M. R. EVANS,  
J. W. CROOK,  
10-22-3 Administrators.

## For Sale.

213 acres of fine farming land, 139  
acres in high state of cultivation, 50  
acres clear of stumps. One nice nine-  
room dwelling, 2 tenant houses,  
large barn, good stable and other  
outbuildings located thereon. 2 1/2  
miles of wire fencing. Also 26 1/2  
acres adjoining the above tract, new  
four-room cottage, new barn and  
stable, and poultry yard and houses,  
and one-half mile from the town of  
Elloree, S. C.One of the best equipped farms in  
the vicinity.

Good reason for selling

Apply to  
J. C. EVANS, Elloree, S. C.

## Notice to Stockholders.

The Board of Directors of The  
Bolen Oil Mill, a corporation duly  
chartered under the laws of the  
State of South Carolina, having by  
resolution determined to mortgage  
its property, real and personal, for  
the sum of seven thousand dollars,  
a meeting of the Stockholders of  
the said corporation is hereby called  
to meet at the office of said cor-  
poration at the said Mill on Monday,  
the twenty-third (23rd) day of No-  
vember, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m.,  
to consider such resolution and to  
determine whether the said cor-  
poration shall mortgage its property,  
real and personal, for said sum of  
seven thousand dollars.F. A. ADDEN, President,  
10-22-4 The Bolen Oil Mill.SEED OATS FOR SALE—A fine lot  
of genuine rust-proof oats, no rye  
mixed in. For price write C. W.  
Fogle, Cope, S. C. Phone Boin.  
10-16-2t

## PROCLAMATION.

State of South Carolina.

Executive Department.

WHEREAS, Petitions signed by  
more than one-third of the qualified  
electors of those portions of Aiken,  
Lexington and Orangeburg Counties  
proposed to be cut off to form the  
new county (commonly known as  
Edisto County) and embraced in the  
following lines, to-wit:Beginning "at a point about one  
mile below Merritt's Bridge at  
Dunbar's Bluff on South Edisto River,  
Aiken County, thence north to a  
point on the east boundary of right  
of way of Two Notch Road, where  
said road crosses Nolen Branch,  
thence the eastern boundary of said  
road to Southern Railway, crossing  
near Samaria Church, Lexington  
County, thence a direct line to the  
Jones' New Mill on Black Creek,  
thence a direct line to a point half-  
mile south of the residence of J. E.  
Dunbar, thence a direct line to Daniel  
Hutto Mill on Cedar Creek, thence  
along the southern boundary of  
right of way of Waters Ferry Road  
to the Hooker Pond, thence down Sa-  
lem Branch to North Edisto River,  
Orangeburg County, from mouth of  
said branch to a direct line to old  
Jack Pond on Little Beaver Creek,  
thence a direct line to 21 mile post  
on Ninety-Six Road, thence a direct  
line to Tampa Mill on east Good  
Land Creek, thence a direct line to  
149 mile post on Southern Railroad,  
thence a direct line to Stromman's Mill  
on Dean Swamp, thence down Dean  
Swamp Creek to South Edisto River,  
thence up said river to point of be-  
ginning," were filed with me as Gov-  
ernor of the State, asking that said  
portion of these counties be permit-  
ted to vote on the establishment of  
a new county.AND WHEREAS, The boundaries  
of the proposed new county, the num-  
ber of inhabitants, the taxable prop-  
erty, as shown by the last tax re-  
turns, and that the proposed lines  
do not run nearer than eight miles  
to any court house now established,  
are also set forth in said petition.AND WHEREAS, The report of  
a majority of the commission ap-  
pointed by me to ascertain the facts  
as provided for in the Acts of 1905  
as to whether the requirements of  
the Constitution as to area, distance,  
wealth, population, et cetera, have  
been complied with, has been filed,  
stating that the law had been fully  
complied with, and the number of  
square miles in the proposed new  
county (commonly known as Edisto  
County) is four hundred and twenty-  
six (426) square miles, leaving to  
the County of Aiken more than five  
hundred (500) square miles, to the  
County of Lexington more than five  
hundred (500) square miles and to  
the County of Orangeburg more than  
five hundred (500) square miles.NOW THEREFORE, I, M. F. An-  
sel, as Governor of the State of  
South Carolina, by virtue of the pow-  
er conferred upon me by the Con-  
stitution and laws of this State, do  
hereby order—1. That an election be held in  
the territory embraced within the  
proposed new county on the fifth  
day of December, A. D. 1908, upon  
the question of creating the said new  
county, and that, at such election,  
the qualified electors within the pro-  
posed area shall be allowed to vote  
upon said question, those favoring  
the proposed new county to vote  
"Yes" and those opposed to vote  
"No."2. That the commissioners of  
State and county elections of the  
Counties of Aiken, Lexington and Or-  
angeburg respectively shall make all  
necessary arrangements for holding  
said election, shall appoint managers  
and do all other things necessary for  
the holding of said election; that the  
county supervisors of the said coun-  
ties respectively shall have prepared  
printed tickets and furnish same to  
the commissioners of election to be  
sent out to the managers of election  
for the use of the voters.3. That at the said election the  
question of a name and county seat  
for such county shall also be sub-  
mitted to the said qualified electors.4. That said election shall be  
held under the same rules and reg-  
ulations as are provided by law for  
regular county elections; that the  
managers shall be sworn before en-  
tering upon the discharge of their  
duties and shall open the polls at  
seven o'clock in the morning and  
keep the same open until four o'clock  
in the afternoon, when the polls  
shall be closed, the votes counted,  
a return of the number of votes pol-  
led for and against, signed and cer-  
tified to by the managers of elec-  
tion which, together with the ballot  
box, ballots and poll list, shall be  
turned over to the commissioners of  
election, as required by law; that  
the commissioners of election shall  
then, as now required by law, tabu-  
late the vote and make return there-  
of to the Governor of the State and  
to the Secretary of State and file a  
copy of same with the Clerk of  
Court of Common Pleas for each of  
said Counties of Aiken, Lexington  
and Orangeburg.IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I  
have hereunto set my hand and caused  
the Great Seal of the State to be  
affixed at Columbia this seventeenth  
day of October in the year of our  
Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred  
and Eight and in the Independence  
of the United States of America the  
one hundred and thirty-third.

M. F. ANSEL,

By the Governor: Governor.

R. M. McCOWN, Secretary of State.

FOR SALE—Elloree Baptist Church  
property located in town of El-  
loree. Comfortable dwelling and  
out buildings located on lot.  
Large lot well drained, running  
from street to street. Price  
reasonable. For terms and par-  
ticulars apply to Clerk of Board  
of Deacons, Elloree, S. C. 10-10-3

## For Rent.

The Boarding House now occupied  
by Mrs. J. B. Riley will be for rent  
after October 1, 1908. Apply to L.  
E. Riley, Orangeburg, S. C.A Real \$15.00 Suits  
For Women  
For \$5.00Not very startling the first time  
you read it! You see \$18, \$2  
and \$30 Suits offered at \$15;  
some stores and it seems bigBut when you see the Suits side b  
side, it is different.\$5,000 in green goods for \$1.00  
real money looks good to the vic-  
tim until he opens the satchel—  
then it is also different.These \$15.00 Serge Suits are New-  
fresh from the Tailors, in fact.The quality of material is there, th  
the Tailoring is there, and behin  
them the KOHN Guarantee.They are sold closer to actual cost  
than any Suits in town. When w  
say a real \$15.00 worth we wan  
to emphasize the word "real."

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the latest shades—Cashmere an  
Lisle, all here and priced right.  
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ORANGEBURG'S SHOPPING HEAD-  
QUARTERS.

## Tax Notice.

Office of County Treasurer,  
Orangeburg, S. C.Tax duplicates will be open at the  
Court House for the collection of

Taxes from October 15th to the 31st

day of December, 1908, as follows:

State tax . . . . . 5 1/2 mills  
County tax . . . . . 3  
Road tax . . . . . 1  
Constitutional school . . . 3

Total . . . . . 12 1/2 mills

Special Taxes—

District No.	Mills	B. D.
District No. 10	2	.
District No. 11	2	.
District No. 12	2	.
District No. 13	2	.
District No. 18	4	2
District No. 20	4	.
District No. 21	2	.
District No. 22	2	.
District No. 23	2	.
District No. 23	2	.
District No. 26	3	2
District No. 27	1	.
District No. 28	3	.
District No. 33	3	.
District No. 34	3	3
District No. 36	4	2
District No. 37	2	.
District No. 38	2	.
District No. 40	2	.
District No. 41	4	.
District No. 42	2	.
District No. 43	3	.
District No. 44	3	.
District No. 46	3	.
District No. 47	1	.
District No. 48	4	.
District No. 55	3	.
District No. 64	3	.
District No. 65	2	2
District No. 68	4	.
District No. 70	4	2
District No. 71	3	.
District No. 72	3	.
District No. 74	4	.
District No. 75	2	.
District No. 78	3	.
District No. 83	3	.

Commutation Tax for the years  
1909, payable from October 15th,  
1908, to 1st March, 1909.

A. D. FAIR, Treasurer.

Orangeburg Co., S. C.

Oct. 1st, 1908.



W. H. BROWN, D. V. S.

DOCTOR OF VETERINARY SCIENCE.

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County. All calls answered prompt-  
ly. Day or night. Lameness, Dental  
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## For Sale.

Fine Brown Leghorn Cockerds at  
\$2.00. Hens, \$1.00 and eggs \$1.00  
per sitting of 15 eggs. Apply to A.  
A. Way, Proprietor of Elloree Poul-  
try Farm, Elloree, S. C. 5-22-6m

## Eat What

You want of the food you need  
Kodol will digest it.You need a sufficient amount of  
good wholesome food and more than  
this you need to fully digest it.Else you can't gain strength, nor  
can you strengthen your stomach if  
it is weak.You must eat in order to live and  
maintain strength.You must not diet, because the  
body requires that you eat a suffi-  
cient amount of food regularly.But this food must be digested,  
and it must be digested thoroughly.When the stomach can't do it,  
you must take something that will  
help the stomach.The proper way to do is to eat  
what you want, and let Kodol di-  
gest the food.Nothing else can do this. When  
the stomach is weak it needs help;  
you must help it by giving it rest,  
and Kodol will do that.

## Our Guarantee

Go to your druggist today, and  
purchase a dollar bottle, and if you  
can honestly say, that you did not  
receive any benefits from it, after  
using the entire bottle, the drug-  
gist will refund your money to you  
without question or delay.We will pay the druggist the price  
of the bottle purchased by you.This offer applies to the large  
bottle only and to but one in a  
family.We could not afford to make such  
an offer, unless we positively knew  
what Kodol will do for you.It would bankrupt us.  
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